

YMUSIC 2016- Call for Musical Performers 13-21



About The YMusic Program:

YMusic provides a relaxed interactive learning environment for young adults and teens, who want to expand their musical education, explore the different aspects of the music industry & network with likeminded musicians & peers. It provides a place with a youth group / workshop atmosphere to practice individually & as a band at weekly scheduled rehearsals & offers presentations & mentoring from

Special guests artists, vocalists & teachers to support student peer to peer mentoring & live Performance opportunities.

Selection Process

Artists are selected by a peer panel of musicians, music critics & other professionals & will be based upon the materials submitted with the application, past performances & a live call back audition to be held at: YMusic/ Mad Pro Audio performing stage located at 3535 West 117th street. The Panel looks for commitment, professionalism, originality, creativity & suitability of materials for the program, live performance & ability to work with others.

Awards Include

1. Free Mentored Workshops with Music Industry Professionals.
2. Copyright law & licensing for musicians workshop led by Mary Ellen Tomazic, Esq.
3. Opportunity to perform live at the 9th annual Summer Concert at Halloran Park in July of 2016 at Halloran Park Gazebo, West 117th St, Cleveland, OH. Selected Musicians will be paid standard band rates to perform.
4. \$1000 recording expense contract. Work with a Grammy Award winning producer & studio engineer to release and market your own single EP.

All artists under the age of 18 required to complete parental consent form

Application Submission Requirements

350 word essay on how music influences your life & how you may benefit from the Y Music Program; If you have no current material posted you may still be selected for a call back audition for the finals by submitting your essay & a sound clip sample of your talent. When sending your audio files (make sure they are clearly marked with your band/performer name and track name in the subject line) to: ymusicnow@hotmail.com after you have submitted your application.

Habla espanol Arlene 216-941-9262. DUE DATE FEBRUARY 5, 2016

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